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The General Services Administration announced today that no acceptable bids were received on the 18,700 long tons of surplus columbium - tantalum bearing tin slags which were offered for sale March 30,

The agency will now consider offers for the purchase of the material on a negotiated basis. Offers must be received by the Director, Project Administration Division, GSA's Defense Materials Service, Washington, D. C., not later than the close of business on June 16, 1961.

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